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TO Chief, European Division		NO INDEXING	
INFO.		APERTURE CARD REQUESTED <i>RE</i>	
FROM Chief of Station, <i>C</i>		<i>X</i>	
SUBJECT <i>C</i> Meeting with UTILITY			
ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES			
<p>1. At the peak of the investigation by the Federal Republic of the Guillaume case, including questioning by the parliamentary select committee of both the current and previous chiefs of the CASCOPE, COS received in May 1974 a copy of UTILITY's latest book (whose title may be translated, "Signs of the Times") and a note from UTILITY expressing his desire to meet with COS. The high volume of publicity charging UTILITY with responsibility for running a far-flung domestic espionage operation argued against attempting to see him at that time when he was obviously an object of great press interest. Subsequently he was seriously ill, hospitalized for surgery, so that the long-intended meeting in fact took place only on 17 July 1975.</p> <p>2. The writer visited UTILITY at his home during the evening of 17 July, and found that gentleman visibly older and showing distinct signs of convalescing from a very serious illness. We have heard that he underwent prostate surgery; certainly he is thinner and walks with a slow, shuffling gait, but courtly gentleman that he remains he nonetheless insisted on accompanying [COS] to the front gate after our meeting, at which point his strength would not permit him to go any further.</p> <p>3. The conversation was of little consequence substantively. UTILITY holds to his long-established conviction that a Soviet conspiracy is behind everything negative that happens to the Western world. Thus he wished to convey to me his belief that the charges made about domestic intelligence activities by CASCOPE and the similar charges levied against BKHERALD were generated by the KGB. He expressed concern of the sort one would expect for the infiltration of political appointees to senior positions in CASCOPE, and reminisced about and stoutly defended the CASCOPE contacts with all political parties which had been established by him but noting that such were often misconstrued, such as specifically the CASCOPE link to <i>C</i>.</p>			
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<p>4. Despite the obvious decline in his physical strength, UTILITY remains mentally alert and is clearly keeping abreast of day-to-day events. He lives comfortably but very modestly in a simple little house on a very attractive lake, and the undersigned at least continues to be impressed by the high degree of personal discipline UTILITY continues to impose upon himself. He is no doubt a passé figure, yet he remains a person with many contacts, particularly in conservative circles, and we shall certainly continue to maintain contact via [] to keep the door open to UTILITY.</p> <p>5. I presented UTILITY with a copy of the Rockefeller Commission Report with which he was literally overjoyed. He repeated in a tone of utmost sincerity that he remained a loyal friend of BKHERALD and stood ready to assist in any way he could.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">[]</p> <p>Distribution: Orig & 2 - C/EUR</p>			
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